

Railway Clerks Empower Com. To Set Time For Nationwide Strike

WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—A committee was empowered to fix the time for a nation-wide strike at a meeting Monday of district chairmen of the Brotherhood of Railway Clerks, called to consider the break-down of negotiations with the railway express agency over a 44-hour work week.

George M. Harrison, union president, said after the day long meeting that the chairman "indorsed everything the negotiating committee has done."

"It left authority in the hands of the negotiating committee to make the strike effective at a date and hour deemed advisable."

He indicated that no decision had yet been taken on a time for the walkout.

The Brotherhood and the agency failed last week to agree on how to establish the 44-hour week for some 30,000 members of the clerks' organization who now work 48 hours.

The 44-hour week was recommended by an emergency fast-finding commission named by President Roosevelt early in July to avert a threatened strike.

After the collapse of the negotiations, the Brotherhood contended the company refused to apply the new hours in "a fair and reasonable way". The agency contended that the Brotherhood was demanding that the company go beyond the fact-finding board's report.

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HE'D BE OLD ENOUGH

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Pupil: Draw an old-age pension.

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Friend (complaining to a doctor): You can never talk to Miss Smith but that she gives you a full catalogue of her ailments.
Doctor: Yes, you might almost call it an organ recital.

Peach Cake Is Good Come-On



MAYBE it's an outing you want next Sunday, or help with the curtains.

Whatever you wish for your family, a special Peach Cake for dinner will help win it. For right-hand aid on this dessert, try the new self-rising flour now on the market. The new product has lots of advantages over the old self-rising flour, because action is slowed so that by the time your cake is mixed, the baking powder is only starting to work. Thus, you lose none of the "rising" power.

Here is the recipe to try with the new flour:

Peach Cake

Cream 7 tablespoons or a scant 1/2 cup fat. Add 1/2 cup sugar. Cream until sugar has dissolved. Add 1 egg and stir in thoroughly (do not beat). Add 1/2 cup milk and 1 1/2 cups self-rising flour alternately. Add 1 teaspoon extract. Pour into a greased and floured cake pan, and bake in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) about 30 minutes. Whip 1 pint whipping cream and add 1/4 cup sugar. Split the cake. Spread lower half with 1 cup crushed peaches and half the whipping cream. Add top layer, and pile with another cup of crushed peaches and remaining cream. Garnish with peach slices.

Juicy Fruit Roll "Makes" the Meal

WHEN the family tires of berries plain and berries fancy, try a new trick. It's raspberry roll which folds juicy raspberries in a crisp pastry. It's delicious, you'll agree.

An aid to shorter hours indoors is the new self-rising flour which makes hot biscuits, cakes and desserts in two shakes. The baking powder and salt are ready-mixed into it, thus a double saving of (1) price of these two ingredients, and (2) the time of sifting them with the flour.

Try the new, speed flour in the following summer dessert:

Raspberry Roll

Make pastry by cutting 1/2 cup fat into 2 1/2 cups self-rising flour until the mixture is thoroughly blended; adding cold water a little at a time to make a stiff dough. Roll pastry in a rectangular shape, keeping it about 1/4 inch thick. Brush lightly with 1 egg white diluted in 2 tablespoons cold water. Spread with 2 cups red raspberries, 1/2 cup sugar, 2 tablespoons butter, and 1 tablespoon self-rising flour. Roll as for jelly roll. Wet the edges and press together to keep in the juice. Brush top of roll with remaining egg white, prick with a fork, and place in a greased dripping pan. Bake in hot oven (400 degrees F.) for 30 to 40 minutes. Serve with a hard sauce made by beating 1/2 cup butter to the consistency of thick cream, sifting in 1 1/2 cups confectioner's sugar slowly, beating until the mass is fluffy, then adding 1 teaspoon flavoring extract.

Three Men Are Reunited In Court After 11 Years

BALBOA, CALIF.—Eleven years ago, three young men were fellow workers and friends at a big ballroom here. Recently they met again—in court. One was judge, one was the arresting officer, the third was the culprit, charged with taking a radio antenna from a police car. The judge gave his old friend a suspended sentence.

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Meeting Happy for World War Rivals

Once Shot at Each Other on Belgium Fields.

ST. JOHN, N. B.—Across the knee-deep muck of the shell-plowed field in Passchendaele ridge in Belgium, Private A. H. Morrison of the Twenty-sixth battalion, Canadian expeditionary force, and Private Henrik Biermann, 157th regiment of the German army, plugged away at each other with machine gun and rifle.

That was some 22 years ago. At the closing exercises in the tiny country school at Glen Falls, three miles from this city, Trustee-Secretary A. H. Morrison presented little golden-haired Olga Biermann with first prize for general proficiency in Grade 1, while her father, Henrik Biermann, look proudly on.

"This is one of the results of peace that dictator nations would destroy," was Biermann's comment. Biermann is one of the colony of Danes who have cleared land in the Glen Falls district. Morrison is a well-known musician in St. John, organist, pianist, and musical director of the Rotary club. Both veterans got a real thrill out of the ceremony. The child, innocent of the deeper meaning of the incident, twinkled her deep blue eyes, smiled and accepted the prize. It was a story book.

Sees After Nine Years; Finds World Different

KANKAKEE, ILL.—Nine years of total blindness failed to make Mrs. Schuyler D. Burson of this city forget fashions and styles. Her first words upon walking down a city street after an operation restored her sight were "My Goodness, but skirts are short this year!"

The skirts and wedge shoes worn by women this season left her completely bewildered. Streamlined autos, developed since she became blind, looked "just like bugs" to her, she said. The operation was performed at Mennonite hospital in Bloomington early in April.

"My husband looks just as he did nine years ago—just a little fatter," she said. "I wouldn't know my children, though. One of them is 19 years old now and the other is 15. How does it all seem? Why, it's just like going into a different world or being born-all over again."

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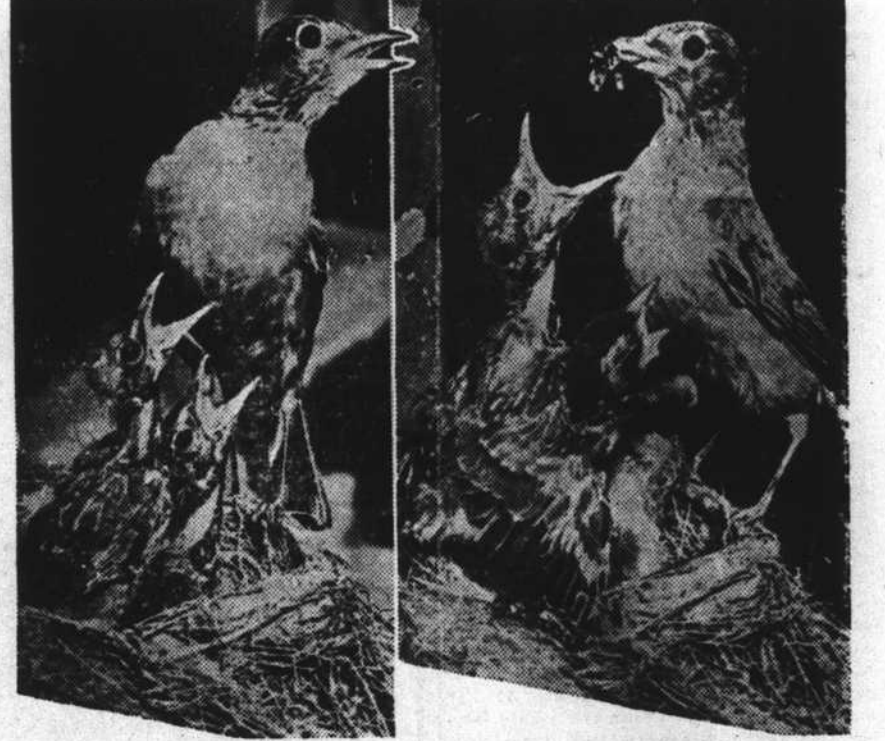
And cookie recipes that can be stirred up in a twinkle are a find. To aid your knack for making cookies fast, use the new self-rising flour which cuts sifting and measuring time in half. All you do is combine this new self-rising flour with fat, sugar, eggs, milk, and flavoring and your cookies are ready for the oven. They're more economical, too, for a high grade slow acting baking powder is already mixed into the flour.

For a good combination, try lemon cookies and walnut rocks, as follows:

Lemon Cookies.
Cream 1/2 cup butter and 3/4 cup sugar together. Add 1 egg, and stir until thoroughly blended. Add 2 cups self-rising flour (sifted before measured) and 1/2 cup milk alternately. Add the juice and grated rind of 1/2 lemon and 1 teaspoon lemon extract. Drop by teaspoonfuls on a greased baking sheet and bake in moderate oven (330 degrees F.) about 20 minutes.

Walnut Rocks.
Cream 1/2 cup fat and 1 1/2 cups light brown sugar. Add 2 eggs one at a time and beat vigorously. Add 1/2 cup milk alternately with 3 cups self-rising flour, 1 teaspoon allspice, 1 teaspoon cinnamon, 1/4 teaspoon cloves, 1/4 teaspoon nutmeg, 1/4 teaspoon ginger. When blended, add 1 1/2 cups black walnuts and 1 cup raisins or dates. Form into little balls about 1/2 inch in diameter or drop from tip of a spoon on a greased baking sheet. Bake in moderate oven (325 degrees F.) about 15 minutes.

Baby Robins Sing for Their Breakfast



It's mighty convenient when a picture flies right into the hands of a cameraman. That was the experience of a photographer in Baltimore who took the above views of a Robin family. The birds built their nest in his yard and he was able to snap the parent bird, left, looking anxiously to see if the other parent is on the job digging for worms. At right, papa has just returned, his beak full of worms for the babies who are mighty hungry. He'll dole them out evenly.